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The Honorable Chairman and Members of the
Hawaii Public Utilities Commission
Kekuanaoa Building, First Floor
465 South King Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

Subject: Docket No. 2008-0083
HECO 2009 Test Year Rate Case – PV Host Program

On May 15, 2009, Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. (“Hawaiian Electric” or “Company”), the Division of Consumer Advocacy and the Department of Defense (collectively the “Parties”) filed their Stipulated Settlement Letter for Hawaiian Electric’s 2009 test year rate case. On May 18, 2009, the Company filed its Statement of Probable Entitlement. Since that time, the Company has discovered a textual discrepancy in Exhibit 1 to that letter and in the Statement of Probable Entitlement. Enclosed are corrections that state that the Parties agreed that PV Host Program costs should be removed from the 2009 test year and recovered through the REIP/CEI Surcharge, rather than amortized over two years.¹ The Company is providing both clean copies and copies in track changes.

These textual corrections do not change the proposed interim increase amount of \$79,811,000 as reflected in Hawaiian Electric’s Statement of Probable Entitlement filed on May 18, 2009. The Company correctly removed the PV Host Program costs from the revenue requirement run in Exhibit 1 to the Statement of Probable Entitlement.

Also enclosed are the revised pages 4 and 5 of HECO T-9, Attachment 2, of the Stipulated Settlement Letter. These pages provided references to certain attachments but not the information request responses that provided the attachments. By including this information, the revised pages provide a complete audit trail. The revised references are

¹ The corrections appear on pages 20 and 21 of Exhibit 1 of the Stipulated Settlement Letter and on pages 6 and 7 of the Statement of Probable Entitlement. Page 31 of Exhibit 1 of the Stipulated Settlement Letter correctly describes the Parties’ agreement that the PV Hosts Program costs should be recovered through the REIP/CEI Surcharge.

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highlighted for easy identification. The revised pages have no impact on the settlement amount.

The Division of Consumer Advocacy and the Department of Defense do not object to the corrections and revisions described above.

The Company apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused. If there are any questions, please call Dean K. Matsuura at 543-4622.

Very truly yours,



(for) Darcy L. Endo-Omoto
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Enclosures

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Stipulated Settlement Letter

Exhibit 1, pages 20 and 21

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The amortization period is based on the time period between the 2009 test year rate case and HECO's next rate case anticipated to be based on a 2011 test year, as proposed by the HECO Companies in the decoupling proceeding, Docket No. 2008-0274. The outside services costs for PUC proceedings and the agreement of the Parties for settlement purposes is as follows:

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- 3) FIT Consultant Costs: In the Rate Case Update, HECO T-11, page 5, the Company added \$115,000 ($\$230,000 \div 2$ years amortization) to support the Companies' effort in its participation in Docket No. 2008-0273, the FIT Investigative docket. However, HECO's portion of these costs is \$92,000 ($\$230,000 \times 80\% = \$184,000 \div 2$ years) or 80% of the total amount (see the Company's response to CA-IR-343, pages 4 to 5). The Consumer Advocate proposed to reduce the FIT consultant costs for the portion of the costs for HELCO and MECO (CA T-3 page 90). The Company has accepted

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The total amount of the proposed adjustments agreed to by the Parties is a reduction of \$476,000 to the test year for outside services costs for PUC proceedings as summarized below:

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Statement of Probable Entitlement

Pages 6 and 7

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Average Rate Base

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Based on the joint decoupling proposal of the Company and the Consumer Advocate in the decoupling docket, which incorporates a RAM rate base adjustment in 2010 that includes actual year-end 2009 plant balances (as well as conservatively estimated plant additions in 2010), HECO (as part of the global settlement agreement) agreed to the use of the fully average test year, without a separate CIP CT-1 Step Increase or annualized ratemaking treatment of CIP CT-1 costs.



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ATTACHMENT 2
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FINAL SETTLEMENT
(REVISED 6/17/09)

CIS EXPENSES TO REMOVE FROM TEST YEAR BY NARUC ACCOUNT

Summary of Changes to the HECO 2009 Test Year Due to the Delay in the Customer Information System ("CIS") In-Service Date

PROJECT EXPENSES:

- 1 Reversal of Project Expenses - Revised HECO-907 (line 28)
(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 1A)

NARUC	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Source
506	\$ (8,410)	\$ -	\$ (8,410)	1- Detail
581	\$ (84,583)	\$ -	\$ (84,583)	
587	\$ (109,891)	\$ -	\$ (109,891)	
588	\$ (51,029)	\$ -	\$ (51,029)	
903	\$ (409,580)	\$ (520,238)	\$ (929,818)	
910	\$ (48,973)	\$ -	\$ (48,973)	
920	\$ (41,006)	\$ -	\$ (41,006)	
921	\$ (5,400)	\$ (12,982)	\$ (18,382)	
922	\$ -	\$ (58,565)	\$ (58,565)	
925	\$ (318)	\$ -	\$ (318)	
926 020	\$ -	\$ (159,764)	\$ (159,764)	
Total	\$ (754,989)	\$ (751,530)	\$ (1,506,519)	

Reversal of Amortization - Revised HECO-907 (line 30)

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 1A)

- 2 Expense reduction due to employees remaining on the CIS development team for the months of June through December (recorded to Deferred Expenses)

Productive Expense

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 1B)

903	\$ -	\$ (978,941)	\$ (978,941)	
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Non-Productive Expense

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 1B)

902	\$ (13,904)	\$ -	\$ (13,904)	2- Detail
903	\$ (279,384)	\$ -	\$ (279,384)	
Total	\$ (293,288)	\$ -	\$ (293,288)	

902	\$ (2,015)	\$ -	\$ (2,015)	2- Detail
903	\$ (40,975)	\$ -	\$ (40,975)	
Total	\$ (42,990)	\$ -	\$ (42,990)	

Emp Benefit

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 1B)

Total Project Expenses

926 020	\$ -	\$ (93,118)	\$ (93,118)	
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Total	\$ (1,081,267)	\$ (1,821,588)	\$ (2,912,854)	
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NON-PROJECT EXPENSES (Including new Bill Print, IWR, IWR systems/processes)

- 1 Reversal of Post Go-Live Non-Project expenses
(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 2, line 14a, "Post Go-Live Adj." column)

903	\$ -	\$ (1,353,565)	\$ (1,353,565)	3- Detail
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- 2 Additional expenses for Standard Register Forms

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 2, line 10a, "Post Go-Live Adj." column)

903	\$ -	\$ 60,468	\$ 60,468	3- Detail
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- 3 Net Reduction of ITS Costs

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 3)

500020	\$ -	\$ (4,977)	\$ (4,977)	4- Detail
501020	\$ -	\$ (1,750)	\$ (1,750)	
501410	\$ -	\$ (356)	\$ (356)	
502010	\$ -	\$ (5,278)	\$ (5,278)	
502020	\$ -	\$ (8,884)	\$ (8,884)	
502030	\$ -	\$ (9,545)	\$ (9,545)	
505030	\$ -	\$ (684)	\$ (684)	
506010	\$ -	\$ (2,434)	\$ (2,434)	
508020	\$ -	\$ (14,522)	\$ (14,522)	
512030	\$ -	\$ (1,039)	\$ (1,039)	
513030	\$ -	\$ (829)	\$ (829)	
514020	\$ -	\$ (21,386)	\$ (21,386)	
514030	\$ -	\$ (3,309)	\$ (3,309)	
549	\$ -	\$ (1,778)	\$ (1,778)	
581	\$ -	\$ (55)	\$ (55)	
582	\$ -	\$ (191)	\$ (191)	
583	\$ -	\$ (184)	\$ (184)	
586	\$ -	\$ (7,138)	\$ (7,138)	
570	\$ -	\$ (109)	\$ (109)	
571	\$ -	\$ (246)	\$ (246)	
572	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
581	\$ -	\$ (9,599)	\$ (9,599)	
582	\$ -	\$ (273)	\$ (273)	
583	\$ -	\$ (246)	\$ (246)	
584	\$ -	\$ (273)	\$ (273)	
586	\$ -	\$ (4,348)	\$ (4,348)	
588	\$ -	\$ (41,187)	\$ (41,187)	
592	\$ -	\$ (137)	\$ (137)	
593	\$ -	\$ (410)	\$ (410)	
594	\$ -	\$ (410)	\$ (410)	
596	\$ -	\$ (5,059)	\$ (5,059)	
901	\$ -	\$ (58,307)	\$ (58,307)	
902	\$ -	\$ (2,051)	\$ (2,051)	
903	\$ -	\$ (9,216)	\$ (9,216)	
910	\$ -	\$ (18,484)	\$ (18,484)	
921	\$ -	\$ (212,560)	\$ (212,560)	
924	\$ -	\$ (2,133)	\$ (2,133)	
925	\$ -	\$ (8,040)	\$ (8,040)	
926000	\$ -	\$ (547)	\$ (547)	
926010	\$ -	\$ (2,108)	\$ (2,108)	
9302	\$ -	\$ (2,270)	\$ (2,270)	
Total	\$ -	\$ (458,094)	\$ (458,094)	

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FINAL SETTLEMENT
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4 Reversal of labor expenses for 4 temporary meter readers included in Update

(See response to CA-IR-396, part b and Attachment 4)

(235,200) 902 \$ - \$ (235,200) \$ (235,200) 5- Detail

Total Non-Project Expenses

(51,886,391) \$ - \$ (1,886,391) \$ (1,886,391)

ADD BACK FOR LABOR EXPENSES:

101 (see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 4, p.3, column EE150, total)

\$280,658 183 \$ 205 \$ - \$ 205
566 \$ 28,416 \$ - \$ 28,416
568 \$ 7,582 \$ - \$ 7,582
587 \$ 28,991 \$ - \$ 28,991
588 \$ 30,675 \$ - \$ 30,675
598 \$ 12,766 \$ - \$ 12,766
902 \$ 14,468 \$ - \$ 14,468
903 \$ 69,893 \$ - \$ 69,893
909 \$ 1,924 \$ - \$ 1,924
910 \$ 34,846 \$ - \$ 34,846
920 \$ 27,057 \$ - \$ 27,057
184050 \$ 331 \$ - \$ 331
184060 \$ 1,979 \$ - \$ 1,979
581/581 \$ 25,524 \$ - \$ 25,524
Total \$ 280,658 \$ - \$ 280,658

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 4, p.3, column NPW, total)

\$41,559 183 \$ 26 \$ - \$ 26
566 \$ 3,320 \$ - \$ 3,320
568 \$ 1,080 \$ - \$ 1,080
587 \$ 3,960 \$ - \$ 3,960
588 \$ 3,920 \$ - \$ 3,920
598 \$ 1,680 \$ - \$ 1,680
902 \$ 2,660 \$ - \$ 2,660
903 \$ 12,780 \$ - \$ 12,780
909 \$ 180 \$ - \$ 180
910 \$ 4,960 \$ - \$ 4,960
920 \$ 3,720 \$ - \$ 3,720
184050 \$ 69 \$ - \$ 69
184060 \$ 344 \$ - \$ 344
581/581 \$ 2,880 \$ - \$ 2,880
Total \$ 41,559 \$ - \$ 41,559

(see response to CA-IR-323, Attachment 4, p.3, sum of totals in column Corp Adm, Ben, PS, ED, and C&D)

\$287,193 183 \$ 67 \$ - \$ 67
566 \$ 25,259 \$ - \$ 25,259
568 \$ - \$ - \$ -
587 \$ 71,580 \$ - \$ 71,580
588 \$ 29,823 \$ - \$ 29,823
598 \$ 12,781 \$ - \$ 12,781
902 \$ - \$ - \$ -
903 \$ - \$ - \$ -
909 \$ - \$ - \$ -
910 \$ - \$ - \$ -
920 \$ - \$ - \$ -
922 \$ - \$ 32,998 \$ 32,998
928 020 \$ - \$ 90,017 \$ 90,017
184050 \$ 141 \$ - \$ 141
184060 \$ 2,616 \$ - \$ 2,616
581/581 \$ 21,911 \$ - \$ 21,911
Total \$ 164,178 \$ 123,015 \$ 287,193

Total add back to test year

\$809,410 \$ 486,393 \$ 123,015 \$ 809,410

TOTAL NET CHANGE TO TEST YEAR EXPENSES

(\$4,289,835) \$ (694,872) \$ (3,694,963) \$ (4,289,835)